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CONNECTION TOOL

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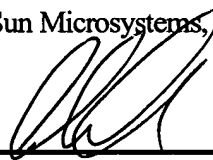
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Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Dated: 3/22/04

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Execution Date: 12/01/03

4. New Patent Application entitled: INTERACTIVE DRAG AND SNAP CONNECTION TOOL

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In consideration of good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we

Joshua M. Johnson

do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto Sun Microsystems, Inc. (hereinafter called Sun), a Delaware Corporation having its principal place of business at 4150 Network Circle, Santa Clara, CA 95054, and its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements, including the right of priority in, to, and under, the application for the United States patent entitled:

INTERACTIVE DRAG AND SNAP CONNECTION TOOL

☒ filed herewith and the inventions set forth and described therein, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of countries foreign thereto which may be granted thereon or therefor; or

Serial No.: \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_ and the inventions set forth and described therein, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of countries foreign thereto which may be granted thereon or therefor;

And for the above consideration, I/we agree promptly upon request of Sun, its successors or assigns, to execute and deliver without further compensation any power of attorney, assignment, application, whether original, continuation, divisional or reissue, or other papers which may be necessary or desirable fully to secure to Sun, its successors and assigns, the inventions described in said application and all patent rights therein, in the United States and in any country foreign thereto, and to cooperate and assist in the prosecution of interference proceedings involving said inventions and in the adjudication or reexamination of said Letters Patent provided the expenses which may be incurred by me/us in lending such cooperation and assistance are paid by Sun.

I/we further covenant with Sun, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license, or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned;

In witness whereof, I/we hereunto set my/our hand(s) and seal:

Inventor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 1 Dec 2003